

Local March of Dimes Gets Help for Children Quickly

Three words are the key to fast medical assistance to crippled and handicapped children. The magic words are "March of Dimes."

County March of Dimes Chairman Mrs. Virgil Mathews told MOD workers Thursday night she had found when doctors, hospitals and other treatment centers were told the March of Dimes was helping a child, help was made available fast.

Dr. D.E. Hackley agreed with Mrs. Mathews. He said in cases where he had sought assistance for children, just the fact that the March of

Dimes was helping the child, quickly opened doors.

There is a large network of agencies, some state supported and others through organizations and public donations such as MOD.

There are times when the MOD local chapter works with the other organizations to get treatment for children. Sometimes local MOD funds will not stretch far enough, so other agencies are asked for help.

When the MOD asks for help of government organizations, the MOD can get right through the red tape and sometimes waiting lists that could slow

up the assistance needed by the children.

During the past two years the local chapter of the March of Dimes has spent over \$2,000 helping local children get needed help.

Sometimes the chapter helps the families of children who are being helped by other agencies. The local chapter has provided transportation and lodgings for members of families accompanying a child to a treatment center.

The state assistance programs take care of the children. But, they have no funds for assisting the families of the

children if they need help getting the child to a treatment center or if they need to stay near the hospital.

Seeking help is another function of the local MOD chapter. Mrs. Mathews said she had at different times made many telephone calls seeking hospitals and other facilities for special treatment and care of crippled children.

The cooperation of our four county doctors is the most vital part of our assistance program. Mrs. Mathews pointed out.

Just because the MOD wants to help a child will not get

them in a hospital. A handicapped child must first be examined by a local doctor and then a request for help can be made to MOD and other agencies.

Mrs. Mathews said the doctors in the county have been a great help to the local chapter in getting children into treatment centers.

January is March of Dimes Month and a drive for funds will be conducted. Last year Hansford County led the state in per capita donations and it was fifth in the nation.

The annual MOD auction will be held on Sunday, Jan.

23. The annual Mothers' March will be held the same Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Leon Chapman of Gruver will head the drive there. Mrs. George Collard and Mrs. Brad Beedy of the Xi Zeta and Rho Rho Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi will direct the drive in Spearman.

Members of the two sororities will conduct the drives.

At the meeting Thursday, Ed Dear, campaign chairman, showed a film on birth defects and what the MOD is doing to help children.

Deard said more of the plans for the fund raising campaign will be announced this week.

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Boone Quits Ag Position

Herman Boone, head of the agriculture department in Spearman High School has tendered his resignation to Superintendent Bill Reeves.

Boone has asked to be relieved of his duties at mid-term or as soon after as a replacement can be found.

"I will not leave until a replacement can be hired," Boone said.

The resignation has been presented to Dr. Reeves, but has not been presented to the school board for action, yet.

Boone said he was returning to Olney where he will enter private business in the operation of a feed plant, elevator and livestock and turkey feeding business.

The teacher is entering a business that has been in operation for about 20 years. The firm feeds turkeys, hogs and cattle.

Boone will be part of an enlargement of the operation. "This year the firm fed 30,000 turkeys and next year we plan to feed 90,000," he said.

He has been teaching agriculture for six and a half years. He is a graduate of Sam Houston State College and is doing graduate work at Texas Tech. He will continue his graduate work in the summers.

"I have found many things in the Spearman schools that I like, but this is an opportunity that does not come along everyday. I just could not turn it down," Boone said.

The instructor taught in Olney for five years before coming to Spearman. He taught one year in Clarendon before going to Olney.



THE FIRST FOR 1966 -- Mrs. Perry Coursey of Spearman talks to her son Christopher. He is Spearman's New Year Baby. Plainsman Photo

Christopher Coursey Is First '66 Baby

Spearman and Hansford County's first 1966 baby waited until all of the New Year's activities were over, before arriving on Thursday, Jan. 6.

Christopher Givens Coursey was born at 12:10 p.m. Thursday, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Coursey of Spearman. The Coursey's first child weighed 8 pounds, 8 1/2 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long.

School Begins '66 Census

The Spearman Public School system is now beginning to take the annual school census as prescribed by the Texas Education Agency.

A census is required each January of every child in school age. This year every child born after Sept. 1, 1948 and on or before Sept. 1, 1960, must be counted.

The number of students in the census is the basis for distribution of state school funds and also used for planning the school program for next year.

Supt. Dr. Bill Reeves said this year a letter and census blank will be sent home for each student attending school (Continued on page 5)

The young man kept everyone waiting for his arrival as Mrs. Coursey entered the hospital Tuesday night.

The father is a teacher in the junior high school and a tennis instructor. When one of his students in school and on the tennis court, Terry Butts, heard about the new arrival, his first comment was: "Bet he has a tennis racquet before he is five."

Mrs. Coursey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.D. Sansing of Spearman. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Coursey of Pyote.

Christopher was born on the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sansing.

Mrs. Coursey's horoscope for Thursday was "your progress is slow, but the results are excellent."

Kenneth Evans Elected Chamber President

Kenneth Evans, a local farmer, will head the Spearman Chamber of Commerce this year.

Evans and a new slate of officers were elected Thursday at the first meeting of the board of directors this year. A new director, Peyton Gibner was elected Vice President and Bob Skinner was elected Treasurer.

These new officers and the two other newly elected directors will be installed at an installation dinner for the directors and their wives, on Jan. 14.

Ralph Blodgett and J.L. Brock are the other two directors elected this year. Blodgett is a new comer to the board and Brock was re-elected.

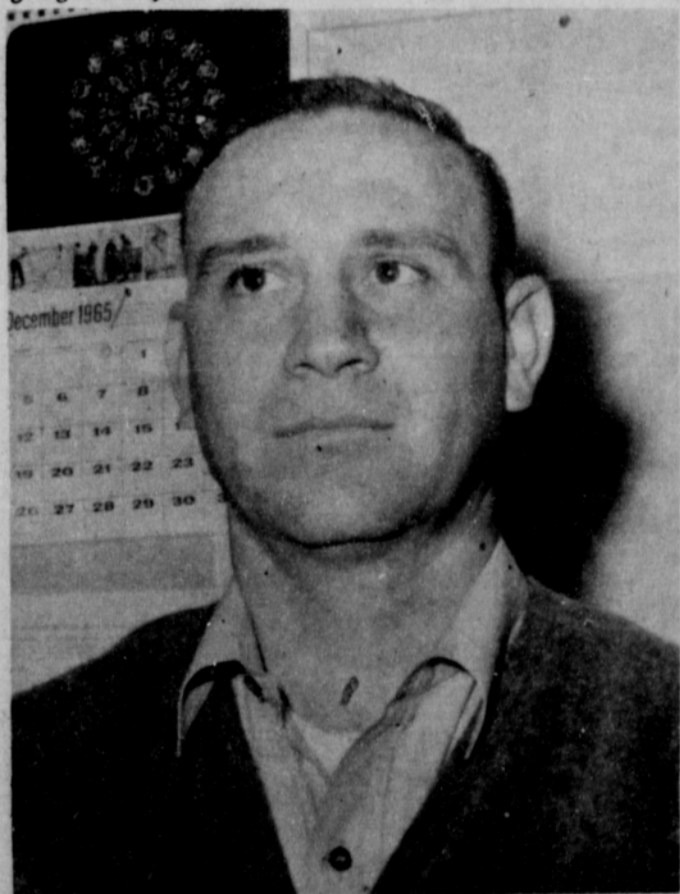
Blodgett and Gibner replace Bill Massie and James Bramlett. Bramlett's place on the board had not been filled since he resigned last summer when he moved from Spearman.

Harry Cowen, Manager of the Borger Chamber of Commerce, will install the new officers.

This installation is held before the membership banquet each year, so the regular banquet will not be too lengthy.

This year's banquet will be held Thursday, Jan. 20, in the Junior High Cafeteria. John Armstrong, a humorist will be

the speaker. (Continued on page 5)



HERMAN BOONE



TOO BIG FOR THE TANK -- This tiger was too big for anyone's tank and he apparently preferred the cool open air, so he just rode in the back of this pick-up. The big plastic tiger was in Spearman for a short while Monday while its owners were having coffee in a local cafe. Plainsman Photo

New Mexico Indians Studied By WMU

The WMU circles of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday morning at the church for a business meeting and Royal Service program.

Mrs. Ray Devers, WMU president, presided at the business meeting with Edrie Jones reading the prayer calendar followed with prayer by Magda Garnett. The secretary report was given by Mrs. Garnett and the treasurers report by Addie Novak.

The program "Indians of New Mexico" was led by Patsy Gates assisted by Jane Moyer, Sharon Freeman, Barbara Howe, Peggy Archer and Frances Kilgore.

Present were Meses, Garnett, Marie Beny, Devers, Donna Helms, Wanda Widener, Archer, Howe, Eva Adkinson, Novak, Betty Uptergrove, Alma Kizziar, Moyer, Dana Hazelwood, Bob Baley, Kilgore, Gates, Viola Hutton, Eleanor Douglas, Lena Ste-

phenson, Barbara Sampson, Gary Jones, Freeman and Pat Denham.

Mrs. Troy Mays of Amarillo has been here with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Ellsworth, helping care for her father who is in Hansford Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Taylor of Amarillo have been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Brown.

Long Life Secret

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia (AP) — A fisherman who claimed to be 120 years old died after a three-week illness. Abu Bakar Bin Mat Rashid had credited his long life to a diet of rice, boiled eggs and preserved durians, a delicious fruit with a repulsive smell.

WSCS Plans Annual Meal

The Circles of the WSCS met in a general meeting Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church with Mrs. Bill Strawn as hostess.

Mrs. Doug Grimes, president, presided at the business meeting at which time it was decided to hold the annual "Ground Hog" dinner Saturday January 29 with a noon meal starting at 11:30 at Fellowship Hall. Adult plates will be \$1.50 each and children under 10 years of age 75¢.

For the program the Epiphany Service was given by Mrs. Ray Martin.

Attending were Meses, Pope Gibner, R. E. Lee, Wesley Daniel, Ray Martin, P. A. Lyon, H. M. Shedeck, George Collard, Sid Beck, James Ed Umphrees, Richard Baxter, John Trindle, Bert Sheppard, Robert Adamson, Doug Grimes, Bill Reeves, Kenneth Williams, Jim McLain and Bill Strawn.

Put Laundry Away In This Easy Way

Want to save steps when putting your laundry away? Take a piece of chain about 8 to 12 inches long and slip the top link over the hook of a coat hanger. Hang this on a cupboard door or any place close to the ironing board.

Have plenty of hangers nearby so as you finished each shirt, blouse, or dress all you have to do is place it on the hanger and slip the hanger onto one of the chain links. When you are all through ironing, carry the chain to the closet and the entire load goes in one trip.

TIME AGAIN

The 1966 edition of Kiplinger's "You and Your Taxes," by Milton Christie, tax editor, is now available (C. S. Hammond & Co., \$1.95). The book contains the latest tax law changes, and includes worksheets for figuring. (And yes, the price of the book is deductible).

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

By VERN SANFORD

A friend of mine went fishing recently with a buddy who really could hook the big bass. In one morning of angling he tied into at least a half-dozen bass that went over six pounds.

However, he didn't land any. He just knew they weighed more than six pounds because he was using six-pound-test line and every one of them broke the line.

Now that's reasoning!

Light lines have their places, but certainly not in big bass waters that are full of old tree stumps or lined with moss or lily pads.

Not so long ago there was a tremendous push on light line. It's sporting the fishermen said, to tie into a fish on a light rig and light line. Furthermore you can cast a greater distance, they said.

As to distance yes, except in some of our Texas wind. But it's a doubtful sport if you hook a fish and let him get away with the lure still in his mouth.

This is what happens when a six-pound line, or any other line for that matter, gives away when the fish gets into the brush.

Fish are smart. Many times they can throw the lure. But its easier after they have broken the line. However, at times they cannot disengage themselves from the hook. In that event they finally die with the hooks still in their gills or down in their throat.

Several times we've seen a bass, that had broken the line, try to throw the lure from his mouth by jumping into the air. Occasionally it is possible to tie into one of these artful dodgers and get him back. But not often.

A fishing friend once told me of hearing a bass jump under a willow at the edge of the water. He cast several times and got no action. But the bass continued to jump. Finally the angler paddled over to it. By this time the bass had jumped a little too high and one of the hooks on the lure caught a small limb and left the bass dangling there.

My friend said he didn't have the heart to string the bass. He liberated it with the hope that it's experience would not stop it from hitting some other time.

What is the best weight line to use? There is no single answer to this question. It depends upon what you want to catch and the type of water in which you're fishing.

In most cases a 10 pound line is about the lightest that should be used on bass for successful landing. However, makers of spincast reels now generally are loading their equipment with 12 pound test.

New manufacturing process-

es today make it possible to use line of much greater strength and in smaller diameter. Many lines of 20 pound test now, are no larger than 12 pound test lines just a short time back.

Fishermen who continually land big bass, however, stick to 15 or 20 pound test line. Especially is this true around lily pads or with dead forests on the bottom.

Sam Welch of Bull Shoals, who has caught more than 400 lunker bass, in addition to thousands of smaller ones, says he always wants a 20 pound test line for bass fishing, especially at night.

Fishermen who prefer the smaller line resort to another method which is helpful. They use a 20-pound test shock leader. This piece of 20-pound monofilament is at least 20 feet long and is attached to the lighter line.

Many fish are lost as they make one last surge. If you are using a shock leader, you have a better chance of "horsing him in" those last few feet.

Then too, your bass may be down only a few feet when it heads for the bramble. If you have 20 feet or more of shock leader, you may be able to maneuver your boat over him and bring him out by main strength.

So far we've been talking about bass. However, speckled trout quite often are taken successfully on 12 or 15 pound test line in the bays and Gulf.

Here again the shock leader idea is very good. This because quite often you catch a heavy jackfish, or some other rough fish, that will give you a tough fight. While you are playing it, you're losing good trout-fishing time.

Another advantage of the heavy shock leader, (unless you've attached a light steel leader is that it can't be cut on shell on the bottom.

A salt-water fish, especially a red snapper, will head for a reef or channel as soon as it is caught. Sharp shells then sever the line and the fish is gone.

Moral there of course is—use a heavy line AND a steel leader.

Fruit on the Rocks

Have you ever tried fruits on crushed ice? Arrange a combination of fresh and canned fruits on crushed ice, being sure to include some minted pineapple chunks.

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Fuller Has Highway Department Art Show To Count Eye Sores

Guy Fuller, A Spearman rancher and farmer, has a one-man art show in the Perry Memorial Library in Perryton this month.

An open house by the Spearman Art Class will be held in the library on Jan. 16 from 3 to 5 p.m. honoring Fuller and his exhibit.

Everyone is invited to the open house to see the show and they may see the show any day the library is open in Perryton.

Fuller began painting in 1958 as a hobby. His only teacher has been Mrs. Gwen-fred Lackey of Spearman.

A native of this area, Fuller was a cowboy on the ranches many years. His paintings include many scenes from the area. Included is the old homestead of his father, R.A. Fuller, in Ochiltree County.

The late R.A. Fuller was an early county commissioner of Ochiltree County.

Mrs. Guy Fuller also paints and she had a show in Perryton last year.

The second phase of Texas' initial plan of compliance with the recently-enacted Federal Highway Beautification Act will get under way Monday (January 3) when field parties from the Texas Highway Department begin the actual count for inventories of billboards and junkyards along Texas highways.

The act, as approved by Congress and signed into law by the President, envisions the control of billboards and junkyards and scenic enhancement along the nation's federal-aid highway systems.

In Texas this will cover more than 3,000 miles of Interstate highway system and

more than 14,500 miles of the primary system.

The Texas inventories were ordered last month by State Highway Engineer D.C. Greer.

At that time Greer said information obtained in the inventories will be used in studies that will be made relative to possible state legislation to implement the provision of the act, including the zoning of industrial and commercial areas along the State highway system.

A Highway Department spokesman said May 16, 1966, has been set as a target date for completion of the inventories.

The Highway Department field parties will travel over every mile of federal-aid highways in Texas gathering information for the inventories.

The number of junkyards in the state is considerably smaller than that of billboards.

On billboards, Highway Department personnell will record such information as size, ownership, subject displayed and location.

The signs will be classified as in rural, industrial or commercial areas.

Signs directly related to the property on which they are located, such as "for sale" signs will not be surveyed.

The first project in Texas' plan of action under the Federal act was launched earlier this month when the Texas Highway Commission approved plans for the first landscape planting project to be financed in Texas under the act.

This project is to be on a section of Interstate Highway 45 adjacent to the downtown business district of Houston.

The Federal act calls for an expanded program of landscaping and scenic enhancement.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

On Drinking a Cigar

Held liable for damages, the defendant in a lawsuit angrily demanded that his lawyer seek a new trial.

"The plaintiff deliberately tampered with the jury," he charged, "by treating each juror to an expensive cigar. We have a statute forbidding that sort of thing."

"All our statute forbids," reported the plaintiff, "is treating the jury to 'food or drink.' Cigars are neither food nor drink. Therefore, I am in the clear."

But the court, taking into consideration the purpose of the statute, decided that "food or drink"



did include cigars. As one judge explained, we can "drink" a cigar — so why can't we "drink" a cigar?

That is an extreme case, of course. But it illustrates why the law is not always content with the definitions given in the dictionaries. A dictionary would scarcely define a cigar as something to drink. Yet the court felt that, to fulfill the purpose of this particular statute, it must reach beyond a mere dictionary definition.

Oddly enough, one reason Lawyer Noah Webster wrote his dictionary was that he found Samuel Johnson's dictionary inadequate in its definitions of legal terms. Still, the law constantly finds it necessary to look further for the last word on words.

Suppose, for instance, that somebody sues you for calling him a "crook."

A dictionary will provide the general meaning of that word. But exactly what did you mean when

JEST A MINUTE

An optimist thinks humorists eventually will run out of definitions of optimists.

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you said it? Did you shout it, in fun, at the umpire in a baseball game? Did you growl it, in earnest, at the corporation president in a stockholders' meeting? The difference in meaning is enormous.

The same is true of words you use in making a contract. A dictionary will define "profit" and "approximately" and "guarantee." But the law must discover what those words meant to these particular individuals when they entered into this particular contract.

Judge Learned Hand once wrote: "Words are chameleons, which reflect the color of their environment."

It is only by exploring that environment, and measuring that reflection, that justice can truly be done.

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Buttonholes Her Shaggy Dog



AS 1966 NATIONAL POSTER CHILD for the March of Dimes, Lori Ann Wagner, 5, Milwaukee, Wis., deems it her duty to pin a campaign button on everyone in sight, including her stuffed-animal playmates. She was born with an open spine, paralyzing her below the waist. Each year 250,000 babies are born in U.S. suffering from this and other severe birth defects. Moreover, birth defects are the nation's second greatest destroyer of life when prenatal loss is included. You can help finance scientific research and support patient care by giving to the March of Dimes in January.

Hot Dog Snacks

Wrap chunks of frankfurter in bacon; place on a rack in a shallow baking pan and bake in a moderate oven for about half an hour. Serve at snack-time.

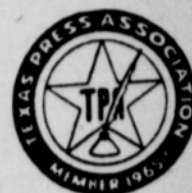


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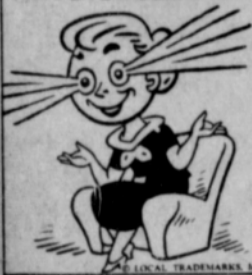


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LIVES LOST	
HEART DISEASE	707,830
BIRTH DEFECTS	560,000
CANCER	285,362
STROKE	201,166
ACCIDENTS	130,748
LIFE-YEARS LOST (Millions)	
HEART DISEASE	8.2
BIRTH DEFECTS	37.4
CANCER	4.6
STROKE	2.1
ACCIDENTS	4.2
LIFETIME EARNINGS LOST (Billions of Dollars)	
HEART DISEASE	17.0
BIRTH DEFECTS	79.7
CANCER	9.1
STROKE	3.5
ACCIDENTS	13.6

By GABRIEL STICKLE, M.A.
 Medical Statistician
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 March of Dimes

Contrary to popular belief, birth defects are our nation's second greatest destroyer of human life. Recent studies indicate that at least 500,000 miscarriages, stillbirths and spontaneous abortions are caused by defects in the embryo or fetus before birth. To this must be added the more than 60,000 deaths caused every year by birth defects among infants, children and adults. Thus the annual toll mounts to \$60,000.

This means that birth defects are responsible for the loss of more lives than some of the so-called "major killers," such as cancer and stroke. It also means that birth defects are second only to heart disease as a cause of death in this country.

To express this appalling toll in another way, it may be said that today birth defects take nearly twice as many lives as cancer, 2.8 times as many lives as stroke, and 74,000 more lives than cancer and stroke combined.

New Birth Defects Studies

The annual national death toll from heart disease is approxi-

mately 708,000. Cancer of all kinds takes 285,000 lives a year, and strokes account for 201,000 deaths.

Evidence of the heavy toll of prenatal deaths and of the fact that a substantial share of these losses are caused by birth defects in the fetus is based in part on the results of studies since 1960 by several of the nation's best-known medical investigators, researchers and statisticians.

What is even more important than their being "major killers" is that birth defects claim their victims primarily before birth or in the early years of life. In contrast to these losses early in life, disorders such as heart disease, cancer or stroke are predominantly causes of death among much older individuals.

This disparity brings us inevitably to consider a measurement known as "life years." This refers to the future years of life lost as a result of death from a specific cause—that is, how many additional years the victims of a certain disease could have been expected to live had they not died from that illness. "Life years" are calculated from official records of the sex and specific ages of persons who die from given causes and of the life expectancy of all males and females at these ages.

After the number of these "life years" has been computed, statisticians can estimate the future income lost as a result of deaths from each cause. Here we use the results of surveys

of consumer income conducted by the Bureau of the Census, covering expected income by both sex and age group.

The summation of all these values indicates that the 560,000 deaths caused by birth defects are responsible for the loss each year of an estimated 37.4 million "life years" and an estimated \$79.7 billion in future lifetime earnings.

These totals are nearly twice as large as the corresponding losses due to the so-called "major killers"—heart disease, cancer, stroke and accidents—all lumped together.

Mrs. Donnie Mackie of Dumas was in Spearman Tuesday having some dental work done and visiting with Mrs. Ruth Caro.

Dinner guests Tuesday in the Orville Fullbright home were his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves of Hards-
 town.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Graves visited last Sunday in Oklahoma City with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Graves and with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fullbright went to Joplin, Mo. last week where they attended a church convention from Wednesday till Saturday.

Club Studies Twentieth Century Appliances

The Happy Homes HD Club met Thursday, Jan. 6 for the first meeting of the new year, in the home of Mrs. James Cummings.

Mrs. Cummings, president, presided at the business session and the devotional was brought by Dorothy Groves. Roll call was answered by "A Surprise Gift for Christmas."

Miss Linda Webb, agent, gave the program using as her subject "The Care of Electrical Appliances."

New officers took over their duties. They are: Nell Cummings, president; Rose Cummings, vice president; Secretary, treasurer and reporter-Rita Reed.

Present were Nell Cummings, Rose Cummings, May-lynn Schubert, Adalyn Barnes, Dorothy Groves, Margaret Adamson, Margaret Evans, Rita Reed and the agent, Miss Linda Webb.

The next meeting will be Jan. 20 in the home of Margaret Adamson.

Club Studies Twentieth Century Gets Merit Certificate

The Twentieth Century Club met in a general meeting in the home of Deta Blodgett Thursday afternoon. Co-hostesses were Mmes. D.E. Spoonemore and H.H. Chevalier of Canadian.

Mrs. J.R. Keim presided and election of officers for the new year was held. Elected were President-Mrs. C.U. Pope, Vice President-Mrs. C. J. Renner, Secretary-Mrs. Jack McWhirter, Treasurer-Mrs. Lloyd Buzzard, Parliamentarian-Mrs. J.R. Keim and Historian-Mrs. T.D. Sansing.

The club received the cer-

tificate of merit which is presented to Twentieth Century Clubs for participating in the community improvement program. This was received for the art auction which was held for the library building fund. The program is sponsored by the Grand Federation of Women's Clubs in cooperation with the Sears Roebuck Foundation.

The program given on International Affairs was presented by J.D. Helms. He spoke and showed slides of his recent trip to Norway and Denmark.

A new member, Mrs. Bill Reeves was welcomed into the club.

The serving table was laid in white and centered with an arrangement of yellow and white mums from which dainty white cake squares, tea and coffee, nuts and mints were served. Mrs. H.H. Chevalier presided at the silver service.

Present were Mmes. Fred Hoskins, an honorary member, John Allen, George Buzzard, J.W. Davis, Woodville Jarvis, P.A. Lyon, Jack McWhirter, E.D. Mundy, C.U. Pope, Chalmers Porter, Olin Sheets, Bill Reeves, Carl Archer, Lloyd Buzzard, Frank Davis, Guy Fuller, Nolan Holt, O.C. Holt, Dwight Hutchison, J.R. Keim, G.R. Kilgore, Raymond Kirk, C.A. Kleeberger, C.J. Renner, J.R. Stump, W. J. Massie and the hostesses.



"You can't get lost on a straight and narrow road." James J. Marrs, Garfield County News, Enid, Okla.

"Keeping away from the mire is better than washing it off." Frank Bridges, The Smithville (Tex.) Times.

"Not many young fellows are trying to set the world on fire. Most of them prefer to burn up the highways." Joe Harrison, The Texas Spur, Dickens County, Tex.

"A discouraging look from his wife has saved many a man from becoming the life of the party." Duane C. Griggs, The New London (Iowa) Journal.

Census . . .

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in Spearman. A card will be filled out on each student and also on all children who will begin school this fall. A census blank may be requested by a brother or sister attending school, or may be obtained by the parents at the school.

Dr. Reeves requested that parents of handicapped children should make note of the handicap of the children, so plans may be made to help these children, also.

This census is of vital importance to the proper financing and operation of the school. Dr. Reeves emphasized.

Evans . . .

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Tickets are being mailed to Chamber members and are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Other directors on the chamber board are: Ellzey Vanderburg, Jack Oakes, Billy Turner, Winfred Lewis and Guy Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Baker of Cheyenne Wells, Colo. were New Year's day guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Graves at the Baker Hotel. While here they also visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kirk in the Holt community.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle I. Brown spent New Year's weekend at Haviland, Kan. visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Bus Corbet and Mr. and Mrs. Durward Whitney. On New Year's Day all met for a family get together. The Browns returned home late Sunday evening and G.I. was taken to the Hansford Hospital for tests at 5:30 Monday morning and underwent an emergency appendectomy Monday noon.

Water in Puddings

Some good cooks like to add a suspicion of boiling water to their hard sauce for winter-time steamed puddings.



COUPON SALE

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LADIES' TOILETRIES
 • BATH OIL—Quart Size
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2 for \$1.00
 88¢ VALUE WITH COUPON
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

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 Assorted Colors
 69¢ VALUE WITH COUPON

57¢ EACH
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

STYLE HAIR SPRAY
 SUPER & REG.

2 for \$1.00
 98¢ VALUE WITH COUPON
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PAINT-BY-NUMBERS
 8" x 10" Assorted Subjects.

\$1.00 VALUE WITH COUPON

64¢ SET
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

TEK TOOTHBRUSHES
 In Reusable Case

69¢ VALUE WITH COUPON

33¢ EACH
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

RONSON LIGHTER FLUID
 6 1/2 Oz. Size

43¢ VALUE WITH COUPON

31¢
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

YORK ASPIRIN
 200 COUNT

79¢ VALUE WITH COUPON

27¢
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

WORKMAN LUNCH KIT
 Without Bottle

\$1.49 VALUE WITH COUPON

87¢ EACH
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

GIFT WRAPS
 All Occasion
 2 Sheets

25¢ VALUE WITH COUPON

17¢ Pkg.
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

LISTERINE ANTISEPTIC
 20 Oz. Size

\$1.29 VALUE WITH COUPON

88¢
 Good Jan. 10, 11, 12

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Vets Getting GI Dividend

Nearly 154,000 veterans will receive checks this week as the first payments are made in distribution of a 1966 GI insurance dividend totaling \$224,200,000.

In reporting this today, William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans Affairs, said some 4,606,000 veterans are eligible to receive the dividend payments, which will be made throughout the year on the anniversary dates of the individual policies.

Although the amounts due individual veterans will vary considerably, depending on the veteran's age, the amount and type of insurance in force, and other factors, the amount to be paid in 1966 averages out at \$47.50 for World War II policyholders and at \$73.75 for World War I policyholders.

Of the total dividend, Mr. Driver said, \$209,000,000 will be paid to 4,400,000 veterans of World War II who hold National Service Life Insurance policies, and the remaining \$15,200,000 will be shared by 206,000 World War I veterans who have U.S. Government Life Insurance policies.

Korean Conflict veterans hold low-cost, non-participating type policies that do not provide for payment of regular annual dividends.

The dividends represent primarily a return to the policyholders of part of their premium payments since the death rate of insured veterans continues to be lower than the mortality rate upon which premium payments are based by law.

The Veterans Administration head said the payments would be made automatically on monthly anniversary dates, and that no application is required.

Double Rites For Parents

Double funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Smith of Stinnett were held at 2 p. m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church of Stinnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, parents of Mrs. A.C. Womble of Morse, died early Wednesday morning enroute to the North Plains Hospital in Borger.

Mr. Smith had been in ill health for several months and became ill Wednesday night. He was taken to a hospital in an ambulance and his wife was following in a car driven by their daughter, Mrs. M.B. Bentley of Stinnett.

Upon arrival at the hospital, both Mr. and Mrs. Smith were pronounced dead. They apparently died of heart attacks.

The Rev. Harold Stanfill, pastor of the Stinnett church and the Rev. Olin Butler of White Deer conducted the services.

Interment was in Sunset Memorial Park.

Besides the two daughters, the couple is survived by three sons, Orville and Newell of Stinnett and Charlie Smith of Colorado, 16 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

The couple had moved to Stinnett in 1963 from Buffalo. They moved to Buffalo from Stinnett in 1930.

Burglars Hit Three Barns

Burglars hit three barns near the Gruber Highway Wednesday night, according to Sheriff J.B. Cooke.

The thieves broke into barns owned by Roy Wilmeth, Omar Cotter and Don Hudson. They took saddles, guns and a small Briggs-Stratton gasoline engine.

Sheriff's officers are investigating the burglaries.



HERE'S PROOF

OF BETTER FOOD BUYS

Mid-Week Values for Tuesday & Wednesday January 11 & 12

ALUMINUM FOIL Viking 25 ft x 12 in. roll **23¢**

CANDY BARS Mars All 5¢ 10 bar pack **33¢**

Maxwell House Vac. Pac lb. can **73¢** | Energy Brand 1/2 gallon Plastic Jug **25¢**

SHORTENING Shurfine All Vegetable Shortening 3 lb. Can **67¢**

PINTO BEANS Arrow Brand Sparkling 2 lb. bag **25¢**

POTATOES U.S. # Russet 10 lbs. **49¢**

LEMONS Calif. Sunkist lb. **19¢**

Calif-Sweet-Juicy-Navel **ORANGES** 7 lbs. **98¢**

Pick-O-Morn-Cello-Pkg. **TOMATOES** **23¢**



Tendercrust Hot Dog or

Hamburger Buns

Cluster Pak of 8 Buns

19¢

Patio Frozen Large Pkg.

Mexican Dinners 2 FOR **89¢**

Cold Water Detergent Giant Box

Cold Power **69¢**

Shurfine "Full Flavor" 46 oz. Can

Tomato Juice 4 FOR **\$1.**

Shurfine "Tart yet Sweet" "Add zest to any meal" 303 size can

Apple Sauce 2 FOR **29¢**

Regular or King Size Carton of 6 Plus Deposit

Coca Colas **39¢**



Make Sure Your Children drink the best... **SHURFRESH MILK**

Hi C Grape or

Orange Drink 4 FOR **\$1.**

Johnstons Tangy Foil Pak Extra Large each

Mince Pies **59¢**

Del Monte "Chunk Style" Flat Can

Tuna Fish 4 FOR **\$1.**

Cottage Cheese

Shurfresh Creamed lb. Carton

29¢

Hunts Cling Sliced or Halves no. 2 1/2 size can

Peaches 4 FOR **\$1.**

CRACKERS Supreme Saltine lb. box **31¢**

BOLOGNA TOP O' TEXAS ALL MEAT lb. **55¢**

RIB STEAK USDA CHOICE BEEF lb. **79¢**

CORN FED PORK lb. **PORK STEAK** **59¢**



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Austex Tall Can

TAMALES 2 FOR **49¢**

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CHILI **47¢**

Libbys Cream Golden 303 size can

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